

CONGRESSMEN OF LONG AGO

Some from Virginia Who Died During Terms of Service.

BURIED IN WASHINGTON

Cenotaphs to Their Memory in Congressional Cemetery Rapidly Disintegrating.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 28.—The following named, formerly Congressmen from Virginia, lie buried in the old cemetery at the intersection of Eighteenth and other streets, Southeast, and their graves are marked by cenotaphs: John Dawson, Theodor Bland, Thomas B. Bouldin, Philip Doddridge, Charles C. Johnston, Alexander Smyth, William Lee Ball, William Taylor and William A. Burwell. The records of the keeper of this interesting burial ground are not perfect, and the remains of some of those mentioned may not have been interred there, and others may have been removed.

Many years ago, when this nation was much younger than it is now, Congressmen who died in Washington, and some who died elsewhere, were buried here, instead of being taken to their respective homes by slow and inadequate means of transportation. Thereby the Congressional Cemetery was created and populated. Later on, as a mark of respect, it became the custom to erect a cenotaph, which really means a monument to one buried elsewhere, to indicate the death of a passing statesman. Among the cenotaphs there are many of Southern fame, and some of the most beautiful in the country. As a mark of respect, it became the custom to erect a cenotaph, which really means a monument to one buried elsewhere, to indicate the death of a passing statesman. Among the cenotaphs there are many of Southern fame, and some of the most beautiful in the country.

North Carolina's Roll.

The North Carolina roll is James Gillespie, Jesse Stovener, George Munford, Thomas Blount, Gabriel Holmes, Nathan Bryan, and David Heaton. There is talk in the Old North State now of having the Legislature take up the matter of removing them at its next session.

John Dawson was born in Virginia in 1742. He was a Washington presidential elector in 1793. As a Democrat he was elected and re-elected to the following Congresses: Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth, serving from May 15, 1797, to March 30, 1814, when he died.

Theodor Bland, an uncle of John Randolph's, was born in Prince George county in 1742; was captain of the First Troop of Virginia Cavalry; delegate to the Continental Congress, 1780-1783; a member of the Virginia Convention, 1789; and one of the minority that opposed its ratification. He was elected to the First Congress, took his seat March 30, 1793, and died in New York, June 1, 1793.

Philip Doddridge was born in West Virginia in 1788, and was in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second Congresses, dying in Washington the 19th of November, 1832.

Charles C. Johnston was born at Abingdon, 1795; was a member of the Twenty-second Congress, and died at Alexandria June 17, 1832.

Alexander Smyth, who served in the Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-first Congresses, was born in Rathlin, Ireland, and went to Botetourt county at the age of ten. Later he moved to Wythe. He was a member of the State House of Representatives in 1793, 1795, 1800, 1804 and 1808, and in 1812 was elected to the Twenty-second Congress. On April 17, 1830, he died here, at the age of sixty-five.

William Lee Ball, born in Lancaster county in 1779, was in the Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth Congresses and died in 1824.

William Taylor, a native of Alexandria, a Democrat, was in the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Congresses. He died here January 17, 1846.

RACE LINE IN CHICAGO

Windy City's "Centre of Culture" Wants to Get Rid of Negroes.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Many of the residents of Evanston, Chicago's center of culture, are up in arms and the suburbs controllable have been called out to prevent colored men and women from mingling with white persons at the Dempster street bathing beach.

Not content with entering the water at the same point where the white people bathe, the colored men and boys are accused of lying on the sand and annoying white women passing along the beach or going to and from the water.

"This must stop," said Chief of Police Fred Shattuck yesterday, "and I have detailed a patrolman on the beach to arrest any offenders. It is only proper that there should be segregation of the races and this plan will be carried out. I understand that the proprietor of the lookers at the beach does not rent suits or rooms to colored persons, but they arrange in some other manner to get into the water."



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WALL STREET GOSSIP

NEW YORK, August 28.—Though it was expected that the fortnightly report of the American Railway Association on the carrying capacity of the country would show a substantial reduction in the idle equipment, the actual report made today showing a decrease of 25 per cent. was regarded as a favorable omen. By far the largest proportionate decrease was among the carrying capacity of the country, 25 per cent. as compared with the next heaviest decrease of less than 25 per cent. among the roads. The report, however, was of July 18, which indicated to some minds that the reduction in box cars was more largely attributable to the movement of general merchandise than to that of the crops, and as there are now only 10,349 of this class of rolling stock, a serious problem is anticipated when the harvested crops are ready to be taken to market on an extensive scale.

Stock Exchange houses show substantial agreement in their week-end market letters. It is only the "traders' market," but their views as to the future of prices are not in equal accord. "Conservative students of value," think that the prices of some of the most active stocks are still too high," says one house, while another is of the opinion that there is still too long stock to liquidate," and a third attributes the recent decline to a shake-out of the public preliminary to a considerable advance.

"The bull market is over," said a consistent bear, and an equally consistent bull maintains that the recent advance was justified by fundamental conditions. The reaction following the reports of Mr. Harrison's health should prove only temporary.

Comparisons of railroad earnings for fragmentary periods of two or more years have been common, but the generally favorable trend of such comparisons has, in some cases, lost force, owing to the possibility of temporary circumstances, which might well affect the net one way or the other. To-day, however, the Chesapeake and Ohio made public its annual report, and as this was the first official report or any road to be made public for the year ended June 30, it was looked over with a good deal of interest. The report was of such a nature as to satisfy the first two conditions of the road. Notwithstanding the depression of the first six months, it showed the largest gross and net earnings in the road's history.

CENSUS OF CHURCHES

WASHINGTON, August 28.—The Census Bureau made public today its statistics of religious bodies in the United States. There are 18,239 local religious organizations, and 3,236,445 church members, with \$1,257,575,567 invested in church edifices.

The figures presented are for 1906, and it is stated that of the total estimated population of Continental United States in that year 39.1 per cent. were reported as church members. The corresponding percentage of 1890 was 32.7, so that the percentage of the population who were church members was larger by 6.4 per cent. in 1906 than in 1890. The relative gain was: Protestant bodies, 1.8 per cent.; Roman Catholic, 4.4, and all other bodies together, one-tenth of 1 per cent.

The report contains an analysis of the 182 denominations, making up the grand total for 1906 as against 145 in 1890, an increase of 41. The total number of organizations covered by the 1906 census was 182,230. This is an increase since 1890 of 47,078, or 26.3 per cent. The Protestant bodies increased 12,564, or 27.3 per cent.; the Roman Catholic, 2,248, or 21.9 per cent.; the Jewish congregations, 1,256, or 23.9 per cent., and the latter Day Saints, 23, or 31 per cent.

The Eastern orthodox churches increased from two organizations in 1890 to 411 in 1906, or 64 per cent. Of the 212,230 organizations of 1906, the 184 Protestant bodies reported 1,651,818, or 82 per cent. of the total; the Roman Catholic Church, 12,248, or 5.9 per cent., and the remaining bodies, 41,000, or about 2 per cent. of the total. The Protestant bodies controlled 153,064, or 92.7 per cent. of the Roman Catholic Church, 10,238, or 5.2 per cent., and the remaining bodies, 1,558, or a little over 1 per cent. The general order or rank of the principal religious bodies in 1906, with respect to organizations was, Methodists, 64,701 organizations; Baptists, 54,880; Presbyterians, 16,506; Lutherans, 12,708; Episcopalians, 12,482; Disciples, or Christians, 10,942; Protestant Episcopalians, 8,845; Congregationalists, 7,152; United Brethren, 4,904; Evangelical Association, 2,738; Reformed, 2,585; Adventists, 2,551; Jewish Congregations, 1,256; Christians (Christian community), 1,378; German Evangelical Synod, 1,205; Latter Day Saints, 184; Friends, 1,117; and Dunkards, 1,077.

The Methodist bodies reported 35.5 per cent. of the entire number of organizations, and the Baptist bodies 25.9 per cent. This, these two religious families together embraced considerably more than one-half of the organizations in the United States. It is stated that in all Protestant bodies the membership is practically adult membership. In the Roman Catholic Church, all baptized persons, including infants, are returned as members. In order to render the figures more nearly comparable, 15 per cent. has been deducted from the membership returned for the Roman Catholic Church to cover those under nine years of age.

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A BEDFORD TOBACCO FIELD



[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BEDFORD, Va., August 28.—In many parts of Bedford the outlook for a splendid tobacco crop is most promising, and should no untoward event occur there will be a larger yield and a better quality than for many years.

There is a fine farm in the county known as "Three Otters," the famous home of the late A. B. Nichols, the residence upon which has always ranked as the handsomest and most beautiful country home in all the county. It is situated only about a mile and a half from the town, and upon it the three streams that give name to the place unite in forming what is known as Little Otter, which

FARMERS ARE BUSY HOUSING THE CROP

It Will Be Several Weeks Before Breaks Become Really Interesting.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, Va., August 28.—The sales on the warehouse floors have been altogether of primings since the great ground August 15. Prices have ranged from 1 to 5 cents for dark to color, and from 5 to 8 cents for bright to very bright primings. The farmers are somewhat earlier on these grades than a week ago.

The farmers are very busy cutting and housing the crop, and it will be several weeks before breaks become really interesting.

The weather has been almost ideal throughout the old belt district, and the crop has very much improved in quality and weight. In fact, many of the farmers are now cutting and housing the crop in several years.

In a quiet way a considerable quantity of old bed tobacco has been changed hands recently, going mostly direct to the manufacturers.

Receipts Are Small.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C., August 28.—Receipts of leaf tobacco have been small, and the farmers are busy winding up their farming operations and doing other things, which, however, are all the weather being exceptionally propitious for such.

As a rule the offerings have shown up, and prices have advanced materially on the medium and good grades, but the market is still in the minority; the breaks as a rule being still composed of bottom leaf primings, which, however, are all the weather being exceptionally propitious for such.

Good receipts are expected from now on. Double sales will be put on Tuesday.

The Lynchburg Market.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, Va., August 28.—The week-end market has been favorable for the late planted tobacco, which is in fine growth, but needs a good rain to bring it to maturity. The early planted tobacco, which is ripening and is being harvested, needs but little rain, as it is already mature. A good rain would be a good rain about the middle of next week it would materially benefit the market, which is now in the minority, being about all housed.

The sales of tobacco will be resumed Wednesday, September 1.

Few Primings Saved.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., August 28.—The week-end market has been favorable for the growers in the Piedmont section, saved very little primings this year, certainly not as much as last year. The market is now in the minority, and the offerings are very common, and more piles or under six cents than above that figure. The market is now in the minority, and the offerings are very common, and more piles or under six cents than above that figure.

Will Resume Work.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SALISBURY, N. C., August 28.—An announcement has been received that the Southern Railway Company will resume double-tracking on its main line, embracing the first stretch of track between Salisbury and Glassboro, a small station ten miles south of this city. A surveying corps is now at work making preliminary arrangements for the new grades. The contractors are Lane Brothers & Co., of Lynchburg, who more than two years ago completed the double-tracking of the main line of the Southern between Spencer and Greensboro.

Entire Issue Sold.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, August 28.—It is announced that the entire issue of \$50,000,000 American Locomotive 6 per cent. gold debenture notes, which the company is to reimburse the treasury for outlays already made and to provide additional working capital.

Could Not Go Through Tunnel.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

PITTSBURGH, Pa., August 28.—A Pittsburgh company to-day turned out the world's largest cast iron wheel, thirteen feet three inches in diameter and weighing 8,700 pounds. When it was loaded on a flat car the Panhandle Railroad officers refused to send it through the Erie Tunnel. It will be shipped by river.

HELD FOR VIOLATION REVENUE LAWS

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, Va., August 28.—Charles Dove and George Whorley, young farmers

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CARRIERS WILL MEET

Preparation for Convention of Men Who Handle Rural Mail.

HARRISONBURG, Aug. 28.—Preparations are being made for the sixth annual convention of the Virginia Rural Letter Carriers Association, which will be held in Harrisonburg, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 7 and 8.

DR. TEWKSBURY CHOSEN

Appointed Superintendent of Virginia Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Dr. William D. Tewksbury, a graduate of Eastern High School and the George Washington University School of Medicine, has been appointed superintendent of the Virginia State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, at Catonsville.

HELD FOR BIGAMY

Young Man Arrested at Danville on Serious Charge.

DANVILLE, Va., August 28.—Burt Mitchell Evans, about 30 years old, was arrested here on a charge of bigamy. He came here from South Carolina about five months ago, and June 1 was married to Miss Ophelia Sadler, of this city.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

Man Declares Neighbors Set His Store On Fire.

DETROIT, Mich., August 28.—English Mary Frederick, believed to be his niece, is dead from burns received when their combination dwelling and grocery store was destroyed by fire early to-day. Fisher had made complaints to the fire department that his neighbors had tried to burn his place because they disapproved of his presence in the community. Officers, however, do not believe that the building was set on fire.

FALLS FROM WINDOW

Aged South Carolina Woman Probably Fatally Injured.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 28.—A special to the Record from Glen Springs says that Mrs. J. H. Thiele, 75 years old, whose home is at Charleston, fell from the window of her home on the second floor and broke both bones of her left leg. She is not expected to live. With her at the time was her 18-year-old grandson. She has been taken to the Spartanburg hospital.

IMMIGRATION CONDITIONS

Dillingham and Wheeler Go to Hawaii to Investigate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., August 28.—The steamer Albatross, which sailed to-day for Honolulu, carries as passengers Senator William F. Dillingham, Vermont, chairman of the Immigration Commission, and William F. Wheeler, formerly Assistant Secretary of Labor, and still a member of the Immigration Commission.

Killed in Mine Explosion.

CARTHAGE, MO., Aug. 28.—In a powder explosion at the "Quick Seven" mine at Neek City, this morning, two men were killed and a third fatally injured.

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